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Applicant:

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Examiner:

Moller, Richard Alan

Docket No:

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56, enclosed is an Information Disclosure Citation in an Application, Form PTO-A820, along with copies of two (2) references.

This information disclosure statement is timely filed and should be considered as it is filed before the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits of the subject Application pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(b)(3).

If at any time it appears that a TELEPHONE CONFERENCE with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned, or his associates, collect in Waltham, Massachusetts, at (781) 890-5678.

If any payment during prosecution is found to be incorrect, please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to by Deposit Account No. 09-0002. A copy of this letter is enclosed for used by the Finance Branch in the event that it is necessary to make any charge or credit to my deposit account.

In addition, pursuant to Rule 1.136(a)(3), the Office is hereby authorized to treat any future reply requiring an extension of time as incorporating a request therefor. Also, Commissioner for Patents June 30, 2003 Page 2

any request or Petition for an Extension of Time notwithstanding an inadvertent reference in the Petition to a shorter period of time is to be treated as requesting the appropriate length of time.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of the foregoing by returning the enclosed self-addressed postcard.

Sincerely,

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